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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Ruppert et al. Art Unit: 3611

Serial No.: 09/781,795 Examiner: Vanaman, F.

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For: LOW FLOOR DRIVE UNIT ASSEMBLY FOR AN
ELECTRICALLY DRIVEN VEHICLE

Docket No.: 60,130-1004 (96AUT013)

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 29, 2003, Applicant requests consideration of
the following arguments and amendments.